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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY.

Meat Inspection Inaugurated.

- *98. A. Koch's Sons, corner Sidney Avenue and Township Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 329. Kent Brothers, 169 Blackstone Street, Boston, Mass.
- 445. Eastern Food Products Corporation, South Street, Waltham, Mass.
- 832. T. T. Keane Co. (Inc.) and Keane Provision Co., 618 Pennsylvania Avenue and 619-621 B Street NW.; mail, 619 B Street NW., Washington, D. C.
- *1016. Fidelity Supply Co., 1838 West Hickory Street, Oklahoma, Okla.

* Conducts slaughtering.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn.

787. The A. H. Kuhlmann Co., 2961 Frederick Avenue, Baltimore, Md.
 *1008. Fesenmeier Packing Co., Fourteenth Street and Madison Avenue, Huntington, W. Va.
 *1016. The Eagle Co., 1838 West Hickory Street, Oklahoma, Okla.

Change in Names and Addresses of Official Establishments.

- *97. John Engelhorn & Sons (Inc.), 17 to 27 Avenue L, Newark, N. J., instead of John Engelhorn, 19 to 23 Avenue L.
 278. National Sausage Factory, Fifth Street and Kaw River; mail, Kansas Avenue and Berger Street, Kansas City, Kans., instead of National Packing House Market Sausage Factory, Fifth Street and Kaw River; mail, 558 Walnut Street.
 311. N. Maggioli Co. (Inc.), 120-122 North Street, Boston, Mass., instead of N. Maggioli, 147 Fulton Street.
 392. The Jacob C. Shafer Co., 516-520 West Lexington Street, Baltimore, Md., instead of Jacob C. Shafer Co., 516 West Lexington Street.

Change in Name of Official Establishment.

- *276. Sahlen Packing Co., 318 Howard Street, Buffalo, N. Y., instead of Joseph Sahlen Estate.

Changes in Addresses of Official Establishments.

- 19-A. The Cudahy Packing Co., 1 Blackstone Street, Boston, Mass., instead of 21 Fulton Street.
 921. Edward Davis (Inc.), 420-424 West Fourteenth Street, New York, N. Y., instead of 168 Chambers Street.

Stations Added.

Ashland, Ky., meat inspection (substation of Cincinnati, Ohio).
 Waltham, Mass., meat inspection (substation of Boston, Mass.).

Stations Discontinued.

Ashland, Ky., meat inspection (substation of Huntington, W. Va.).
 Huntington, W. Va., meat inspection.

Change of Officials in Charge.

Jonesboro, Ark., Mr. S. S. Jerdan instead of Mr. W. J. Ray.
 Madison, Wis., Dr. R. J. Digman instead of Dr. George Jerome.
 Wausau, Wis., Dr. W. K. McConnell instead of Dr. R. J. Digman.

Add to Address List.

Ardmore (S. Dak.), Dairy, beef, and hog investigations, Mr. J. B. Shepherd, Ardmore Field Station.
 Boone, N. C., Cheese extension, Mr. H. L. Wilson.
 Delhi, Calif., Dairy community development, Mr. C. V. Castle.
 East Lansing, Mich., Cheese extension, Mr. H. C. Jordan, College of Agriculture.
 Huntley, Mont., Dairy experiments, Mr. T. W. Moseley, care Experiment Station.
 Newell, S. Dak., Western experiments in dairying and livestock production, Mr. Beyer Aune, Belle Fourche Experiment Farm.
 Tupelo, Miss., Creamery extension, Mr. L. S. Edwards.

* Conducts slaughtering.

Change in Addresses of Officials in Charge.

- Dr. Frank Jelen, Stock Yards Station, Cincinnati, Ohio, instead of Exchange Building, Stock Yards Station.
- Dr. E. T. Marsh, care Globe Laboratories, P. O. box 37, Stock Yards Station, Fort Worth, Tex., instead of care Globe Laboratories, Fostepco Heights.
- Dr. J. S. Clark, care Cotton States Serum Co., P. O. box 347, Grenada, Miss., instead of P. O. box 347.
- Dr. A. F. Staub, 23 East Liberty Street, Lancaster, Pa., instead of general delivery.
- Dr. Paul Vaughn, State Museum Building, Raleigh, N. C., instead of care State veterinarian.
- Dr. J. E. Cloud, 219 Federal Building, San Diego, Calif., instead of 306 Federal Building.
- Dr. H. C. Wilson, 187 Montgomery Street, Troy, Ala., instead of Troy, Ala.
- Mr. F. R. Farnham, care Extension Depot, West Raleigh, N. C., instead of West Raleigh, N. C.

Remove From Address List.

- Dr. W. C. McHugh, Huntington, W. Va.
- Dr. H. C. Campbell, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Dr. C. L. Morin, St. Albans, Vt.
- Mr. L. S. Edwards, Starkville, Miss.
- Dr. H. P. Armsby, State College, Pa.
- Mr. J. A. Conover, West Raleigh, N. C.

Notes.

Meat inspection extended:

- At Establishment 48, Sinai Kosher Sausage Factory, Chicago, Ill., to include Levin's Kosher Sausage Factory.
- At Establishment *196-B, Wilson & Co. and Wilson Martin Co., Baltimore, Md., to include Empire Provision & Produce Co.
- At Establishment 268, The E. K. Pond Packing Co. and H. C. Derby Co., Chicago, Ill., to include E. K. Pond Co.
- At Establishment *838-A, Old Dutch Market (Inc.), Washington, D. C., to include J. A. Whitfield Co.

NOTICES REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION.

FORMULA FOR MEAT-BRANDING INK.

From time to time requests are received for information concerning the method of preparing ink which is permitted by the bureau to be used for branding meats under the provisions of the meat-inspection law. An ink having the necessary properties may be prepared according to the following formula:

Water.....	gallons..	45
Pure grain alcohol, 95 per cent.....	do....	38
Granulated cane sugar.....	pounds..	100
Methyl violet.....	do....	10

The methyl violet is dissolved in the alcohol and a portion of the water; the sugar is dissolved in the remaining portion of the water and added to the methyl violet solution. Thorough stirring facilitates solution of the methyl violet.

The bureau does not require that the above-mentioned formula be adhered to in every detail, but the proportions indicated should not be subjected to any considerable variation; otherwise the branding qualities of the ink may be impaired. Instead of the pure grain alcohol specified in the formula there may be employed pure grain alcohol, denatured according to formula 33 of the United States Bureau of Internal Revenue. (See S. & R. A., January, 1920, p. 3.) When such denatured alcohol is used, it should be employed in the proportion indicated above. No additional methyl violet should be added. Instead of granulated cane sugar, pure granulated glucose may be used in the same proportion, or heavy corn sirup, if of suitable purity, may be used, provided due allowance is made for the water introduced in that way. All the ingredients used in preparing inks must be free from poisonous and harmful substances.

Inspectors may furnish ink manufacturers with this information. However, this announcement in no way changes the rules and regulations now in effect concerning the sampling and analysis of inks and ink ingredients intended to be used for branding meats in inspected establishments.

REPORTING POST-MORTEM INSPECTION OF REACTORS.

In order to obtain uniformity in the slaughter reports of cattle which have reacted to the tuberculin test and in which no tubercular lesions were found on post-mortem, inspectors are requested to indicate on M. I. Form 112-F the absence of such lesions by the phrase "No visible lesions found."

LABORATORY EXAMINATION OF SAMPLES.

Hereafter when samples of any meat food product are found on laboratory examination to be not in compliance with the regulations, a sample of the next lot prepared shall be submitted for laboratory examination. The product represented by this sample should not be retained by the inspector unless there is reason other than the laboratory report for suspecting a violation of the regulations. If laboratory examination of the second sample shows it also in violation of the regulations, future lots of the same product shall be retained pending report of laboratory findings on a sample which shall be submitted to the laboratory immediately. The M. I. Form 161 covering this sample shall be marked, "Rush, product retained." The laboratory may be requested to telegraph the findings if it is deemed necessary or advisable to do so. This announcement supersedes circular letter No. 598 dated July 22, 1915, on the same subject.

APPLICATION FOR OVERTIME SERVICE IN OFFICIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

Recently a legal complication arose over the payment for overtime service rendered by bureau inspectors in an official establishment. The lawyers called upon the bureau for all forms O. T. 1 covering the establishment's applications for overtime work and the agreement of the establishment to reimburse the Government for money paid in accordance with the act of Congress and instructions. The bureau was surprised to find that through failure to require formal application from the establishment the inspector in charge had ignored official instructions. It is hoped that this is not a common practice and that all inspectors appreciate the necessity of requiring formal applications in accordance with the instructions governing overtime.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, FEBRUARY, 1922.

Station.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Goats.	Swine.
Chicago.....	130,151	50,124	173,805	1,387	530,937
Forth Worth.....	16,968	11,381	4,709	14	63,032
Kansas City.....	66,220	15,530	74,282	79	226,641
National Stock Yards.....	17,192	6,488	11,274	.....	84,807
Omaha.....	54,298	3,825	114,239	1	182,801
St. Louis.....	10,604	3,430	3,499	.....	126,564
Sioux City.....	19,387	774	16,829	66	95,009
South St. Joseph.....	20,278	4,946	50,116	8	118,863
South St. Paul.....	14,900	26,075	20,195	.....	179,939
All other establishments.....	219,155	156,786	306,893	358	1,871,314
Total: February, 1922.....	569,153	279,359	775,841	1,913	3,479,907
February, 1921.....	522,718	252,369	957,751	38	3,770,974
8 months ended February, 1922.....	5,181,219	2,377,234	8,491,897	11,660	25,357,994
8 months ended February, 1921.....	5,754,069	2,432,439	8,235,354	17,384	24,732,173

Horses slaughtered at all establishments, February, 1922, 69. Inspections of lard prepared at all establishments, 144,817,012 pounds; compound and other substitutes, 28,824,716 pounds. Corresponding inspections for February, 1921: Lard, 153,842,660 pounds; compound and other substitutes, 23,764,954 pounds.

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS.

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry during February, 1922, with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals.

Country of export.	Cattle.	Swine.	Sheep.	Goats.
Mexico.....	954	23	.....	6
Canada.....	1,961	9	3,514	.....
Total: February, 1922.....	2,915	32	3,514	6
February, 1921.....	7,386	12	183	15
8 months ended February, 1922.....	140,761	2,491	52,349	323
8 months ended February, 1921.....	272,144	659	149,521	3,170

Imports of meats and meat food products.

Country of export.	Fresh and refrigerated.		Canned and cured.	Other products.	Total weight.
	Beef.	Other.			
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
Argentina.....	.....	503,906	.....	.....	503,906
Canada.....	89,592	390,687	7,908	.....	488,187
Uruguay.....	.....	.....	533,824	.....	533,824
Other countries.....	.....	.....	12,280	3,492	15,772
Total: February, 1922.....	89,592	894,593	556,012	3,492	1,543,689
February, 1921.....	978,483	6,784,491	208,077	29,310	8,000,361
8 months ended February, 1922.....	13,390,344	9,278,788	2,562,788	456,132	25,628,052
8 months ended February, 1921.....	28,881,323	114,280,867	4,920,258	3,786,990	151,869,438

Condemned in February, 1922: Mutton, 14 pounds; pork, 293 pounds; total, 307 pounds.
Refused entry: Pork, 113 pounds.

FOREIGN OFFICIALS AUTHORIZED TO SIGN INSPECTION CERTIFICATES FOR MEAT AND PRODUCTS FOR IMPORTATION INTO THE UNITED STATES.

The following are additional names and facsimile signatures of foreign national Government officials authorized to sign and issue certificates of inspection for meat and meat food products offered for importation into the United States:

Country and name.	Signature.
AUSTRALIA.	
J. J. Bourke	<i>J. J. Bourke</i>
Frank V. Collins	<i>Frank V. Collins</i>
R. A. Dowling	<i>R. A. Dowling</i>
H. Finney	<i>H. Finney</i>
R. H. Heywood	<i>R. H. Heywood</i>
D. A. C. McNicol	<i>D. A. C. McNicol</i>
E. J. Tomlin	<i>E. J. Tomlin</i>
BRAZIL.	
Francisco de Paula Gonçalves Moreira.	<i>Francisco de Paula Gonçalves Moreira</i>
CANADA.	
W. D. Baskette	<i>W. D. Baskette</i>
Ray Hanagan	<i>Ray Hanagan</i>

Country and name.	Signature.
CANADA—continued.	
Richard Waddy	<i>Richard waddy</i>
K. D. Zinck	<i>K. D. Zinck</i>
ENGLAND.	
Thomas Orr	<i>Thomas Orr</i>
LUXEMBURG.	
J. Diederich	<i>J. Diederich</i>
P. Koch	<i>P. Koch</i>
P. Medinger	<i>P. Medinger</i>
L. Spartz	<i>L. Spartz</i>
C. Wagner	<i>C. Wagner</i>

Names Removed from List.

ARGENTINA.

Dr. Alfred A. Carman.
E. del Castillo.

José Elicegui.
D. Amian Lan.

Casiano B. Pereyra.
Raul Von Kotsch.

AUSTRALIA.

T. L. Bell.
W. R. Brice.
C. Caswell.
Wm. Jenner.

D. J. Kerr.
A. Lorkin.
H. Pattison.
J. Pollock.

J. J. Tucker.
J. T. Van Pelt.

CANADA.

J. D. Ross.

JAPAN.

R. Hirose.
Dr. J. Kasai.
K. Munakata.
F. Okamoto.

T. Sawada.
Atsuchi Sawatani.
K. Taguchi.
K. Takahashi.

Kojiro Tsuboi.
Dr. J. Uchiyamo.
Sadazi Yamaguchi.
K. Yasumatsu.

LICENSES AND PERMITS FOR VETERINARY BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS

Licenses for the manufacture of veterinary biologic products have been issued during the month of March, 1922, as indicated below, under the act of Congress of March 4, 1913 (37 Stat. 832) and the regulations made thereunder (B. A. I. Order 265 and amendments thereto).

License No.	Date.	Name and address of firm.	Products.
39-A	1922. Mar. 14	Purity Biological Laboratories, corner Chambers and Chicago Streets, Sioux City, Iowa.	Abortion vaccine (bovine); blackleg aggressin; hemorrhagic-septicemia vaccine (bovine); hemorrhagic-septicemia vaccine (ovine); hemorrhagic-septicemia vaccine (porcine); mixed vaccine (for swine).
107	Mar. 16	Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories (Inc.), 520 West Pennway, Kansas City, Mo., and southwest corner Shawnee Road and Forest Avenue, near Rosedale, Kans.	Tetanus antitoxin.
112	Mar. 31	Fort Dodge Serum Co. (Inc.), 600 1/2 Central Avenue, Fort Dodge, Iowa, and 2 miles from the city, in Douglas Township.	Blackleg vaccine.
153	Mar. 3	The Quality Biologic Co., 86-88 North James Street, Kansas City, Kans.	Mixed bacterin (bovine); mixed bacterin (equine); mixed bacterin (ovine); mixed equine-enteritis bacterin.
153	Mar. 23	.....do.....	Mixed canine-distemper bacterin.
158	Mar. 22	Globe Laboratories, Fostepco Heights near Fort Worth, Tex. (Mailing address P. O. box 37, Stock Yards Station.)	Hemorrhagic-septicemia bacterin (ovine).
164	Mar. 3	Goshen Laboratories (Inc.), 34 St. John's Street, Goshen, N. Y.	Equine abortion bacterin; mixed bacterin (equine).
164	Mar. 27	.....do.....	Mallein; tuberculin.
172	Mar. 20	Diamond Serum Co., 1635 Maury Street, Des Moines, Iowa.	Antihog-cholera serum; hog-cholera virus.

United States Veterinary Licenses Terminated During March, 1922.

United States Veterinary License No. 39-A, issued January 1, 1921, to the Purity Biological Laboratories, Sioux City, Iowa, was terminated on March 14, 1922, and reissued on the same day to the same firm, due to the firm's discontinuing the production of antiblackleg serum and blackleg filtrate.

United States Veterinary License No. 120, issued on January 1, 1921, to the U. S. Blackleg Serum Co., Oklahoma City, Okla., was terminated on March 7, 1922.

United States Veterinary License No. 171, dated February 7, 1922, issued to Dr. Frank M. Gallivan, 1635 Maury Street, Des Moines, Iowa, was terminated on March 21, 1922.

United States Veterinary Permits Issued During March, 1922.

United States Veterinary Permit No. 3, dated March 27, 1922, was issued to S. J. Friedman, 1011 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., for anticanine-distemper serum and antiequine-distemper serum, manufactured by Alfred Mavoir, Boulogne, Sur-Seine, France.

QUANTITIES OF ANTIHOG-CHOLERA SERUM AND HOG-CHOLERA VIRUS PRODUCED DURING FEBRUARY, 1922.

Month.	Serum.			Simultaneous virus.	Hyperimmunizing virus.
	Ordinary.	Clear.	Total.		
January.....	c. c. 33,216,958	c. c. 3,101,127	c. c. 36,318,085	c. c. 1,214,989	c. c. 10,061,234

PERMITTED DIP FOR CATTLE FOR TICKS.

Permission has been granted to F. S. Burch & Co., of Chicago, Ill., for the distribution of "Cooper's Cattle Dip," under the trade name of "Burch's Tikdip," for use in the official dipping of cattle for ticks. This dip is manufactured by William Cooper & Nephews (Inc.), Chicago, Ill. The dilution for dipping cattle for interstate movement is 1 gallon of dip to not more than 127 gallons of water, which will yield a solution containing not less than 0.22 per cent actual arsenious oxid.

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH THE VARIOUS STATES, FEBRUARY, 1922.

Station.	State.	Tuberculin tests.			Total once-tested free herds.	Total accredited herds.	Total herds under supervision.	Inspector in charge.	State official. ¹
		Herds or lots.	Cattle tested.	Re-tested.					
Albany.....	N. Y.	436	9,268	1,092	2,779	315	4,686	H. B. Leonard..	D. W. McLaury.
Albuquerque.	N. Mex	166	1,079	4	268	0	285	F. L. Schneider.	Mat Keenan.
Atlanta.....	Ga.	81	2,526	9	1,385	11	1,556	A. L. Hirlleman.	P. F. Bahnsen.
Augusta.....	Me.	205	1,979	21	4,428	679	5,835	J. B. Reidy.....	H. M. Tucker.
Baltimore....	Md.	93	2,074	102	1,250	348	2,792	T. A. Ladson....	R. C. Reed.
Birmingham.	Ala.	28	1,388	7	611	58	711	C. J. Becker.....	C. A. Cary, Auburn.
Bismarck.....	N. Dak	205	4,112	53	3,227	418	4,535	H. H. Cohenour.	W. F. Crewe.
Boise.....	Idaho.	279	2,873	55	3,463	114	3,914	W. A. Sullivan..	J. D. Adams..
Boston.....	Mass.	22	694	23	52	50	188	E. A. Crossman..	L. H. Howard.
Do.....	R. I.	4	111	12	12	11	37	do.....	T. E. Robinson, Providence.
Do.....	N. H.	83	1,947	230	174	41	348	do.....	A. L. Felker, Concord.
Charleston....	W. Va.	120	1,373	13	1,477	158	1,837	George W. Neff.	J. H. Stewart.
Cheyenne.....	Wyo.	223	1,715	24	1,554	3	1,829	John T. Dallas..	B. F. Davis.
Chicago.....	Ill.	522	6,053	411	712	308	2,316	J. J. Lintner....	F. A. Laird, Springfield.
Columbia.....	S. C.	47	1,536	27	817	64	952	W. K. Lewis....	W. K. Lewis.
Columbus.....	Ohio.	209	3,883	62	1,359	683	2,538	Leo E. Davis....	B. H. Edgington.
Denver.....	Colo.	3	14	1	5	1	17	W. E. Howe.....	Charles G. Lamb.
Des Moines....	Iowa.	617	10,990	649	2,609	427	3,291	F. H. Thompson	P. Malcolm.
Fort Worth....	Tex.	30	4,040	58	31	40	207	H. Grafke.....	L. G. Cloud.
Frankfort....	Ky.	443	2,814	52	3,257	160	4,184	W. F. Biles.....	W. H. Simmons.
Harrisburg....	Pa.	275	4,084	151	935	938	2,673	P. E. Quinn....	T. E. Munce.
Hartford.....	Conn.	112	2,577	316	312	64	631	R. L. Smith.....	J. M. Whittlesey.
Helena.....	Mont.	449	9,093	141	7,396	112	8,096	R. Snyder.....	W. J. Butler.
Indianapolis..	Ind.	927	10,058	492	7,982	638	9,296	E. B. Haskin....	R. C. Julien.
Jackson.....	Miss.	119	1,476	18	330	113	603	H. L. Fry.....	H. Chadwick.
Jefferson City.	Mo.	1,931	18,706	242	13,018	353	13,850	Ralph Graham..	H. A. Wilson.
Lansing.....	Mich.	1,467	13,982	821	9,846	302	12,399	T. S. Rich.....	H. H. Halladay.
Lincoln.....	Nebr.	1,097	12,318	460	4,093	167	5,091	C. H. Hays.....	F. R. Woodring.
Little Rock....	Ark.	0	0	0	36	31	72	W. E. Dodd.....	J. H. Bux.
Madison.....	Wis.	439	10,640	506	1,787	1,499	4,165	J. S. Healy.....	C. P. Norgord.
Montpelier....	Vt.	314	5,702	291	2,555	943	3,979	A. J. DeFosset..	E. S. Brigham.
Nashville.....	Tenn.	854	5,106	39	553	176	1,633	E. I. Smith.....	G. R. White.
New Orleans..	La.	22	570	5	356	48	420	R. W. Tuck.....	E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge.
Oklahoma.....	Okla.	156	4,041	133	501	105	1,134	C. F. Harrington.	J. A. Whitehurst.
Olympia.....	Wash.	589	7,520	89	3,392	85	3,698	J. C. Exline....	L. C. Pelton.
Pierre.....	S. Dak.	37	1,083	21	283	167	558	J. O. Wilson....	A. E. Beaumont.
Portland.....	Oreg.	678	6,154	156	6,712	121	7,517	S. B. Foster.....	W. H. Lytle, Salem.
Raleigh.....	N. C.	1,571	5,786	69	8,311	261	8,679	Paul Vaughn....	Wm. Moore.
Richmond.....	Va.	147	3,184	87	1,259	618	2,290	R. E. Brookbank	J. G. Fernyhough.
St. Paul.....	Minn.	279	6,753	222	2,235	1,371	4,410	W. J. Fretz.....	C. E. Cotton.
Salt Lake City	Utah.	253	1,331	41	6,043	77	6,713	F. E. Murray....	W. A. Stephensen.
Do.....	Neu.	31	2,591	99	1,452	6	1,819	do.....	Edward Records, Reno.
Tallahassee...	Fla.	157	1,701	16	2,640	78	3,513	J. G. Fish.....	J. V. Knapp.
Topeka.....	Kans.	107	2,694	57	201	316	848	H. M. Graefe....	J. H. Mercer.
Trenton.....	N. J.	51	1,664	62	101	61	277	W. G. Middleton	J. H. McNeil.
Do.....	Del.	69	861	182	1,088	78	1,765	do.....	O. A. Newton, Bridgeville.
Washington...	D. C.	1	192	.....	141	194	340	J. A. Kiernan...	
Total.....		15,948	200,334	7,621	113,028	12,811	148,527		

¹ Unless otherwise shown, the address of State official is the same as that of the bureau official.

AMENDMENTS TO FISCAL REGULATIONS.

LEGAL HOLIDAY PAY OF PER DIEM EMPLOYEES; REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNTS.

By memoranda Nos. 373 and 374 of the Secretary of Agriculture, both dated March 13, 1922, paragraphs 24 and 53 of the Fiscal Regulations have been amended to read as follows:

24. *Legal holiday pay of per diem employees.*—Per diem employees within the United States holding permanent appointments will receive pay for legal holidays (the 1st day of January, the 22d day of February, the 30th day of May, the 4th day of July, the first Monday in September, the 25th day of December, such days as may be designated by the President as days for national thanksgiving, and days declared legal holidays by acts of Congress if such acts provide for pay to per diem employees), if in pay status on the business days preceding and following such legal holidays, i. e., on duty or on leave of absence with pay. Temporary per diem employees and those whose appointments read "for days actually employed" must actually perform service on the business days preceding and following such holidays in order to be entitled to pay therefor: *Provided*, That when any of the legal holidays herein mentioned falls on Sunday the day observed as such shall be considered the legal holiday.

53. *Reimbursement accounts must be sworn to.*—*Reimbursement accounts, consisting in whole or in part of items of expenses actually incurred, must be sworn to when practicable, but charges for fees paid for administering oaths will not be reimbursed. Accounts consisting entirely of claims for per diem allowance in lieu of subsistence or resubmitted items need not be sworn to.* If impossible to swear to accounts by reason of remoteness from officials authorized to administer oaths, or other causes, a certificate on honor, clearly setting forth the circumstances in the case, must be attached to the account in lieu of the omitted oath.

TRANSPORTATION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY BY EXPRESS.

The attention of bureau employees is invited to that portion of paragraph 89 of the Fiscal Regulations, effective January 1, 1922, which provides for the shipment of articles of a perishable nature and certain articles of household goods *by express*, when such shipments are made in connection with the employee's transfer from one official station to another for *permanent duty*. It is the desire of the bureau, in every case when practicable, that the matter be taken up with the Washington office in advance of shipment and approval obtained in the same manner as if the goods were to be shipped by freight. A list of the articles to be expressed should also be furnished. If, in case of emergency, it is found impracticable to obtain approval in advance, a statement fully explaining the circumstances should be attached to the account in which reimbursement is claimed. In every instance a Form T-16, in duplicate, should be submitted with the reimbursement account.

RETIREMENT ON ACCOUNT OF PHYSICAL DISABILITY.

The attention of the various bureaus and offices is invited to the following regulation, regarding retirement, approved by the Secretary or the Interior on February 25, 1922:

Hereafter, an application for retirement from the service on account of disability under the provisions of section 5 of the act of May 22, 1920, must be accompanied by certificate of the applicant's physician, if there be such, fully describing all physical signs of any existing disease or injury, with an expression of opinion as to the degree to which the applicant is disabled for useful and efficient service.

In addition to the above requirement, a statement of the applicant's superior officer must be furnished showing whether in the opinion of such officer the applicant, on account of disease or injury, is totally disabled for useful and efficient service in the position held, or in any other position in that branch of the service, and if not able to perform his present duties but able to perform the work of some other position, whether

such other position has been offered the employee, together with a description of the character of the duties of such other position and its attendant compensation. Such a statement should also disclose whether the existing disease or injury is the result of vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on the part of the employee, and should be made by some person in authority who may have knowledge of the facts by reason of close contact with the employee.

Compliance with the above-described procedure will expedite the adjudication of the applicant's claim for annuity and save considerable correspondence.

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS.

Penalties have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the bureau, as follows:

Live-Stock Quarantine Law.

American Railway Express Co., transporting untested bull, \$100 fine.

American Railway Express Co. (2 cases), failure to mark waybill "Southern cattle," \$200 fines.

St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico Railway Co., failure to mark waybill "Southern cattle," \$100 fine.

St. Louis Merchants Bridge Terminal Railway Co., failure to clean and disinfect cars in which southern cattle had been transported, \$100 fine.

Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis, failure to clean and disinfect cars in which southern cattle had been transported, \$100 fine.

Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis, failure to clean and disinfect cars in which diseased sheep had been transported, \$100 fine.

San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railway Co., failure to mark waybill "Southern cattle," \$100 fine.

Twenty-Eight-Hour Law.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., \$100 fine.

Illinois Central Railroad Co., \$100 fine.

Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis (2 cases), \$200 fines.

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Amendment 14 to B. A. I. Order 211 (regulations governing the meat inspection of the U. S. Department of Agriculture). Effective March 1, 1922. P. 1.

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